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PROGRESS OF NH PROJECTS IN RAJASTHAN
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the National Highway (NH) projects in progress in Rajasthan;

(b) whether upgradation of NH in the above State is under consideration;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Union Government is maintaining the Kota-Bara division of NH-76 in Mahua town area and Bharatpur Urban area of NH-11; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING, ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (SHRI K. H. MUNIYAPPA)

(a)to(c) Upgradation of National Highways (NHs) is a continuous process and works are being taken up in a phased manner depending upon inter-se priority, traffic volume and availability of funds. The details of major projects (each work costing Rs. 5.0 crore and above) under implementation in the State of Rajasthan are given at Annexure-I. The details of NHs proposed for upgradation in the State of Rajasthan under National Highway Development Project (NHDP) Phase III and NHDP Phase V are given at Annexure-II.

(d)&(e) Yes, Sir. The Kota-Baran Section of NH 76 is being maintained in traffic worthy condition through the civil work contractor carrying out the 4 laning work of the stretch. The Mahua Town and Baratpur Urban areas on Agra-Jaipur Section of NH 11 are also being maintained in traffic worthy condition by the Build-Operate-Transfer (BOT) concessionaires for the 4 laning works on these sections, as part of their contractual obligations.